# **Graduation Standards**

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YES	Transcript <i>and</i> Report Cards	Content-Area Graduation Standards 5-8 standards per content area	Verification and Proficiency Student progress toward the achievement of standards is determined and reported
NO	Progress Reports	Performance Indicators 5-10 indicators per content-area standard	Common School-Wide Assessments Common summative assessments ensure greater consistency in the evaluation of student learning
NO	Feedback to Student	Unit-Based Learning Objectives Guided by essential questions, teachers use daily learning targets to create progressions that move students toward the demonstration of performance indicators	Formative Teacher Assessments Ongoing formative assessment is used to evaluate student learning progress

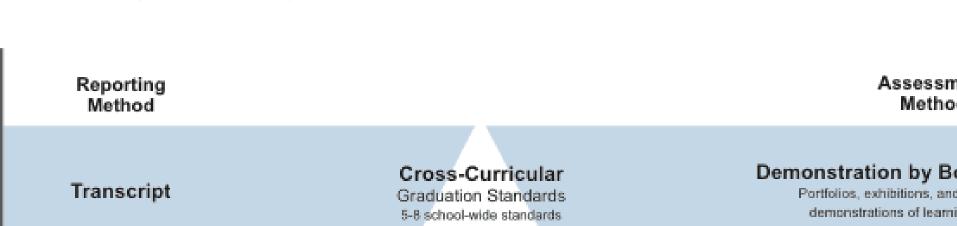
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# A Graduation Standard Is...

A standard that focuses instruction on the most foundational, enduring, and leveraged concepts and skills within a discipline.

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**Health Education:** Health Promotion and Risk Reduction

Students demonstrate the ability to practice health-enhancing behaviors and avoid or reduce health risks.

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# A Performance Indicator

Describes or defines what students need to know and be able to do to demonstrate mastery of a standard.

# A Good Performance Indicator

# **Answers:**

"What do we want students to understand and be able to use several years from now, after they have forgotten the details?

# A Performance Indicator Is...

Health Education: Healthy Practices and Behaviors

Students demonstrate healthy practices and/or behaviors to maintain or improve the health of self and others in each of the following areas: healthy eating; physical activity; tobacco, alcohol, and other drug use prevention; and prevention of STDs, HIV and unintended pregnancy.(C1, 9 - Diploma).

# A Performance Indicator

The aggregation of mastery on these performance indicators measures whether a student has met the graduation standard.





Performance Indicator



**Learning Target** 

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### Health Education - Draft

The RSU14 Health Curriculum Leaders in grades 9-12 developed the following Standards and Performance Indicators. These individuals used resources from the Maine State Learning Results and Great Schools Partnership to identify the end of  $12^{th}$  grade performance indicators.

### **STANDARD**

C. Communication and Advocacy Skills:

Students demonstrate the ability to use interpersonal

### PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

1. Demonstrate healthy practices/behaviors to maintain or improve the health of self and

2. Demonstrate a variety of behaviors to avoid or reduce health risks to self and

A. HEALTH CONCEPTS	1. Predict how the following impact health status; a. analyzing individual responsibility b. barriers to healthy behaviors c. personal susceptibility and potential injury for illness.(MLR A1)
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(MLR A)	<b>3.</b> Explain causes of common diseases, disorders, and other health problems and propose ways to reduce prevent or treat them. (MLR A3)
	<b>4.</b> Analyze and describe how the environment, genetics, family history, and access to health care, are interrelated and can impact personal health. (MLR A4)
	<b>5.</b> Describe the characteristics of human growth and development through the various stages of life. (MLR A5)
	<b>6.</b> Analyze complex health concepts related to family life; nutrition; personal health; safety and injury prevention; and tobacco, alcohol and other drug use prevention. (MLR A6)
B. HEALTH INFORMATION, PRODUCTS, AND SERVICES / INFLUENCES ON HEALTH	1. Evaluate the validity and accessibility of health information, products and services. (MLR B1)
Demonstrate the ability to access valid health	2. Determine when professional health services may be required and access valid and reliable health information, products and services. (MLR B2)
information, products and services and analyze influences to enhance health. (MLR B, D)	3. Analyze and evaluate influences on health and health behaviors. (MLR D1)
	4. Investigate how public health policies and government regulations can influence health promotion and disease prevention (MLR D1f)
	5. Evaluate the impact of technology, including medical technology, on personal, family,

and community health. (MLR D2)

others (MLR C1)

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- 1. Evaluate the validity and accessibility of health information, products and services. (MLR B1)
- **2.** Determine when professional health services may be required and access valid and reliable health information, products and services. (MLR B2)
- 3. Analyze and evaluate influences on health and health behaviors. (MLR D1)
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